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SUBJECT: IDF RETENTION ISSUE

REF: REYKJAVIK 448

NO OBJECTION YOUR PROPOSED COURSE ACTION WITH KRONMANN AND LYDVO. SEEMS TO US THAT ADEQUATE STEPS HAVE NOW BEEN TAKEN APPRISE SCANS OF ARTICLE VII SITUATION, AND THAT THEY CAN PROBABLY FIGURE OUT BEST HOW DEAL WITH THEIR ICELANDIC BRETHREN. WE ARE SOMEWHAT CONCERNED LEST WHOLE EXERCISE SNOWBALL TO EXTENT ICELANDERS GET IMPRESSION EVERYONE GANGING UP ON THEM, WITH COUNTER- PRODUCTIVE EFFECT. FOR EXAMPLE, BRITISH EMBASSY HERE TELLS US SECGEN LUNS INSECRET

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FORMED UK PERM REP OF SITUATION AND HIS TENTATIVE PLAN GO REYKJAVIK TO SPEAK TO FON MIN. WE ARE NOT AT ALL SURE THAT LUNS DIRECT INTERVENTION WITH FON MIN AT THIS STAGE WOULD BE HELPFUL AND WOULD WELCOME REYKJAVIK'S THOUGHTS. BRITISH ARE NATURALLY CURIOUS KNOW WHAT THIS ALL ABOUT, AND WE HAVE ATTEMPTED PUT MATTER INTO PROPER PERSPECTIVE FOR THEM HERE. ROGERS

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